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Friday 9:00-12:00

EUCCHARISTIC CELEBRATIONS

Saturday Vigil: 17:00
Sunday: 10:00
Monday: No Mass
Tuesday to Friday: 8:30

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISMS: It is necessary to arrange an appointment with Fr. Robert for preparation. Baptisms are scheduled on an individual basis.
RECONCILIATION: Saturday 16:15-16:45; Sunday 9:15-9:45, or anytime on request.
MARRIAGE: Contact the office before setting the wedding date. Marriage preparation course and meetings with Fr. Robert are required.
ANOINTING OF THE SICK: Please contact Fr. Robert if you or a family member is ill at home or in the hospital. He will gladly visit.

WARDENS

Emidio De Carolis, David Flood, Anthony Mancini, Scot Diamond, Winston Redman.

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Fourth Sunday of Advent

21 December 2014



**I AM THE
LORD'S SERVANT**
*May it be to me
as you have said*
from LUKE 1:38
Thomas Merton

PRAYERS:

For the sick: Jean-Pierre Belair, Madeleine Coté, Madeline Cummings, Patricia Lemieux, Maria da Luz Madeira, Carmel MacDonald, Miguel Madeira, Lolita Matheson, Sammy Sinnett, Trudi Stanley, Father Joseph P. Sullivan, His Eminence Jean-Claude Cardinal Turcotte, Jacques Viau

For those who have died: Aurora Guzman Navarro, John James “Jim” Locke, Gino De Iure

For vocations: Mary received and responded to the Lord’s will through the invitation of an angel. Who are God’s messengers in your life? Listen to God speaking to you through them. (Luke 1:26-38)

ADVENT ANGEL TREE – THANK YOU: Thank you to the many parishioners who generously donated to the Advent Angel Tree. Gifts for all 273 residents were delivered to Vigi Mont Royal on Friday and will be distributed at special Christmas parties over the next few days. Those caring for the residents are thrilled at the opportunity to brighten their Christmas. The response from parishioners has been so positive that we hope to make this an annual event.



PARISH OFFICE: The parish office will close at noon on Tuesday, December 23rd and will re-open on Tuesday, January 6th at 9:00 a.m. Father Robert will be available throughout the Christmas season, so for anything urgent, please call and leave a message and he will return your call as soon as possible.

WEEKDAY MASS: Please note that there will be NO MASS at 8:30 a.m. on Wednesday, December 24th; Friday, December 26th; and Friday, January 2nd.

2014 Christmas Mass Schedule

December 24th: Christmas Eve: 19:00; 21:00

December 25th: Christmas Day: 10:00

December 27th: Feast of the Holy Family: 17:00

December 28th: Feast of the Holy Family: 10:00 Solemn Eucharist

December 31st: Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God: 17:00

January 1st: Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary, the Mother of God: 10:00

WEEKLY DONATION ENVELOPES: Regular users of weekly donation envelopes will find their boxes of envelopes for 2015 at the main entrance of the church. All parishioners are encouraged to use envelopes and may obtain a box of envelopes by contacting the parish office. All donations are completely confidential and tax receipts are issued early in the New Year.

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, December 20 – Fourth Sunday of Advent

5:00PM Debbie Neemeh Her Family

Sunday, December 21 – Fourth Sunday of Advent

10:00AM Pro Populo Father Robert

Tuesday, December 23

8:30AM Maria Amelia Alvarez Santullano Adolfo Perez de Leon

Wednesday, December 24 – Christmas Eve

Please see Christmas Schedule

Thursday, December 25 – Christmas Day

Please see Christmas Schedule

Friday, December 26 – Saint Stephen

8:30AM No Mass

Saturday, December 27 – The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

5:00PM Giovanni de Stefani Anastasia de Stefani

Sunday, December 28 – The Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph

10:00AM Pro Populo Father Robert

STEWARDSHIP: Our collection last weekend was \$1945.00. Our second collection was \$945.00. Thank you for your offerings in support of our parish as a place of Christian worship, instruction and mission.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTION: *“Hail, full of grace, the Lord is with you!” – Luke 1:28* Faith is a gift from God. During this Christmas season take time in silence and pray to God. Thank Him for all the gifts He has given you. Try to set aside any anger or resentment you have and really open your heart to receive the gift of God’s grace.

SANCTUARY LAMP:



The sanctuary lamp signals the Presence of the Lord Jesus in the Tabernacle and burns for seven days. We invite you to have the sanctuary lamp memorialized in the name of a sick person, a deceased loved one, or a special intention, for a weekly donation of \$20.00. Please call the office to arrange a memorial for the sanctuary lamp.

This week, the Sanctuary Lamp burns for Miriam Kennedy-Stack, requested by Sheila Kennedy.